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Applicant: Kevin David Williams
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 31, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 12 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.

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